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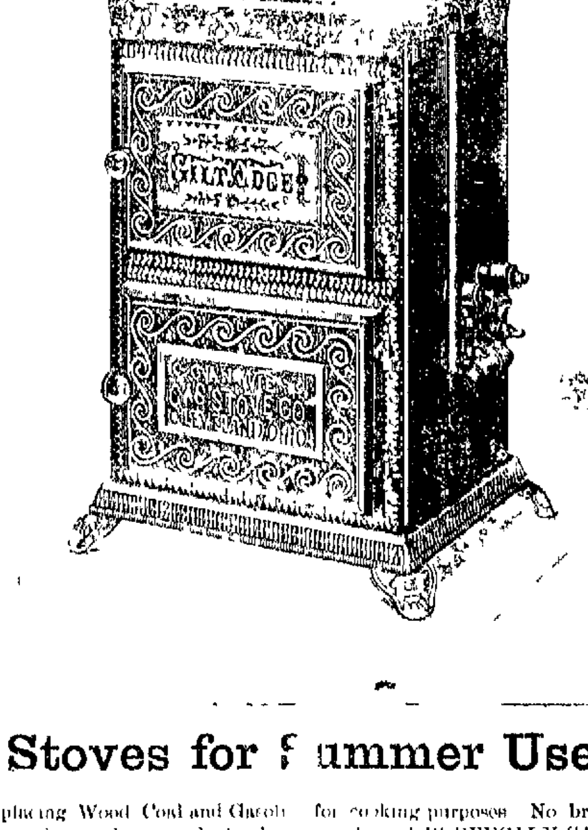
GAS, $1.50 PER 1,000 FEET.



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Are rapidly displacing Wood, Coal and Gasoline for cooking purposes. No bringing of coal nor wood, no ashes, no dust, always ready and PERFECTLY SAFE. Meals can be cooked in shorter time and with less annoyance from heat than by any other method. Where used they have given perfect satisfaction, cost no greater than that of an ordinary wood stove. Ladies who have used them declare that they are indispensable, especially in Summer, and they COULD NOT KEEP HOUSE WITHOUT ONE.

The Gas Company proposes to make a

NET PRICE OF $1.50 PER THOUSAND FEET,

From May 1 to Oct 1 to ALL PERSONS USING FOR COOKING PURPOSES.

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Supt of Decatur Gaslight and Coke Co.

R. J. STRATTON, Supt — *Dear Sir*: I am using a No. 7 Gas Range, and it is with pleasure that I bear witness to the many good qualities. For utility, cleanliness, comfort and economy, it is all I could desire. Anything can be cooked on it that can be cooked on any stove, with, in my opinion, less expense, and certainly with less trouble and more comfort. I cheerfully recommend it.
Yours Truly, MRS. HENRY ELWOOD.

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MR. R. J. STRATTON, Supt — *Dear Sir*: I want to say to you that the gas stove you furnished to me last Summer is much more satisfactory than I had hoped for. I can do every kind of cooking with it, and the regularity of the heat gives better results than any other stove. I should not desire to keep house without it.
MRS. FRANK H. HALL.

—o—

R. J. STRATTON, Supt — *Dear Sir*: I have in use one of your Gas Cooking Ranges and as a matter of convenience and comfort it is unsurpassed, and is all you claim for it—gas costing about the same as oil or coal.
Yours Respectfully, MRS. WM. PLUCK.

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Magazines and all kinds of books bound and repaired.

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Oct 30 d6m

FOR RENT, FOR SALE, WANTED, &c.

(Notices in this column, of five lines or less will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance.)

LOST—Between 155 West Wood Street and Armstrong's drug store a child's necklace containing a lady's picture. The finder will return the same to the drug store and receive reward. July 30 dc*

FOR SALE—A good buggy horse, excellent roadster. Will sell very low. 201 West Eldorado St. 3 dc*

FOR SALE—A new frame dwelling, with 8 large rooms near city limits on North Water street with as much ground as desired. Good well and cistern. For price and particulars enquire of BILLY DOWNING. July 25 dc*

FOR SALE—Fine thoroughbred and grade Jersey milch cows and heifers; also several Jersey bulls. For prices call on GEO. ORIN at 1172 North Church Street. July 17 d&wtf

R. J. DICKINSON, Architect and Builder. Plans and specifications for new buildings and estimates of cost furnished on application. Office over Gorin, Dawson & Co's Bank with Geo. W. Handy. July 17 d1mo

WANTED—MAN to take the agency of our safes, size 28x18x18 inches, weight 500 lbs; retail price $35; other sizes in proportion. A rare chance to create a permanent business at home. These safes meet a demand never before supplied by other safe companies, as we are not governed by the Safe Pool. Alpine Safe Co., Cincinnati, O. GEO. M. WOOD, Agent. June 12 d3m

FOR SALE—A lot of Second-Class Stoves and Furniture as good as new, very cheap at the FURNITURE AND STOVE EXCHANGE, 319 East Main Street. June 10 dtf

$75.00 to $250.00 A MONTH can be made working for us. Agents preferred who can furnish a horse and give their whole time to the business. Spare moments may be profitably employed. A few vacancies in towns and cities. B. F. JOHNSON & CO., 1009 Main St., Richmond, Va.

N. B.—Please state age and business experience. Never mind about sending stamp for reply. B. F. J. & Co. may ddm

GASOLINE STOVES. The best, lowest priced Vapor Stoves on earth for sale; also all kinds thoroughly overhauled and repaired by an expert at 511 Main St. 13 dtf

FURNISHED ROOMS to Rent at Europe-an HOTEL. Open all night. Best Hotel in the city. Come and get prices. S. H. JAMESON, Proprietor. apr 15 dtf

BARRETT at 701 N. Church Street will repair your house, fence, build your porch or do anything in the line of carpentering. Good work at all times with promptness. nov 16 dtf

WANTED—You are wanted to call and buy Second-hand Cooking and Heating Stoves. A large assortment at low prices. HARRY FISK, Court House Block. oct 21 dtf

MONEY to loan in large and small amounts. Loans made on live stock, farm implements, or household goods. All classes of loans negotiated on short notice. Loans on farms and city business property at 6 per cent interest. Apply to A. T. SUMMERS, over New York Store. july 16d&wt*

BOSTON STORE.

WALKER, THOMSON & CO.

Our stock of DOMESTICS has been newly replenished and we can say without fear of contradiction that it is as complete and well appointed a stock as any in the city of Decatur. We are also confident our prices are right, and to those who may be in want of anything in the Housefurnishing Line we would say *Give our Stock a Look Over and you will find it money in your pocket.*

MUSLINS, all grades, Prices Rock Bottom,
SHEETING, all widths, Prices the Lowest.
TABLE LINENS, elegant designs, 25c to $2.00 a yard.
NAPKINS to Match Linens
TOWELS, Huck, Damask, Momie and Hemstitch—splendid value.
TICKS, Plain and Fancy Stripe, 8c a yard up.
CANTON FLANNELS, Brown and Bleached, 5½c a yard up.
FLANNELS, White, Scarlet, Blue, Gray and Embroidered—Popular Prices.
COTTON BATTS and Comfort Calicoes a Specialty.
Full Range of LACE CURTAINS—Splendid Value

WALKER, THOMSON & CO.,

143 North Water Street.

Illinois State Holiness Camp Meeting,

to be held in Oakland Park, Decatur, Illinois, AUGUST 1 to 11, 1889. The objects of the meeting being the conversion of sinners and the entire sanctification of believers. All are invited to attend and enjoy the privileges and benefits of the meeting. Ministers of talent, excellent and able, have been engaged for the services: Revs. Joseph H. Smith of Indianapolis, I. T. D. Pepper of Philadelphia, G. D. Watson of Windsor, Florida, also John A. Wood of California, M. L. Haney and L. B. Kent of Illinois, and many other preachers and laborers will be present. Open gates and free admission from 6:30 a. m. until 10 p. m. Boarding: Meals will be provided at the boarding tent at the same low prices as last year. Tents: Wall tents ready for use 12x17 with fly, for $5.00. Floors $1.00 extra. Straw free. All railroads leading into Decatur will return passengers for One and One Third Fare. Persons coming from Indianapolis can get special rates by calling on John S. Lazarus, G. P. A., I., D. & W. Railway.

Street Cars run direct from Union depot to the Camp Ground. Baggage carried by Decatur Transfer Company at reasonable prices.

For information as to railroad matters address MRS. M. H. McCARTY, 571 East Eldorado St., of Decatur, Illinois.

For information as to tents etc., address J. W. WELCH, Hillsboro, Ill. july21 d1wt

Hard Coal

E. L. Martin will quote you satisfactory prices on your Winter supply of Hard and Soft Coal. Anthracite is shipped direct from mine, quality unsurpassed. Call at North Main St. Office and see stock before buying. Telephone No. 493.
july23 d3w E. L. MARTIN

G. E. Woolington & Co

Are the headquarters for marble and granite monuments, and for all kinds of cemetery work. Call and see us, North Park street. July25 d1w

THE Old Reliable Peter Shuttler and Moline Wagons for sale by Spencer & Lehman. feb16 d&wtf

Highway Notice.

Notice is hereby given that proposals will be received by the Commissioners of Highways of Decatur Township, Macon county, Ill., for the delivery of from twenty to twenty five hundred yards of screened gravel, free from earth and sand; also will at the same time and place receive bids for unscreened gravel for the same number of yards (each bidder to make bid on the screened and unscreened gravel) to be delivered on the Bloomington Road running north from the city limits, that the same will be let by contract by the yard, to the lowest responsible bidder, at the hour of two o'clock p. m., August 10th, 1889, at the Town Clerk's office in the city of Decatur.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids if they deem it to the best interests of the town, and no contract shall be considered as let unless the contractor shall, within ten days after the letting, enter into contract and file a bond, with two good and sufficient sureties, with the Commissioners, in the penal sum of double the amount of the contract, payable to the Commissioners of the Town upon failure to comply with the conditions of his or their contract.

Dated Decatur, Ill., 30th day of July, 1889.
D. A. MAFFIT,
E. G. ALLEN,
C. M. CALDWELL,
Commissioners.
july31-d1d

An Eye-Opener.

100 Dozen Natural Wool Gents' Underwear, warranted all fine Merino wool-finished seams, soft texture, suitable for the most delicate skin, just received at B. Stine's. We offer these goods to the trade at the astonishing low price of $1.00 for Undershirt and $1.00 for drawers. d&w

Maffit's Crystal Ice

D. A. Maffit is prepared to supply Decatur people with the best of ice at ruling prices promptly. Telephone 100 or leave orders with F. D. Caldwell at American Express office. Telephone 26. may4 dtf

Awnings.

Neatly fitting awnings at low prices made and put up on short notice at Mattress Factory in Library block. Window awnings for dwellings a specialty.
j3 dtf COX CHAMBERLAIN & Co

Warranted Fast Black

100 dozen Ladies' 2 thread, spliced heels Hose at 25c, the best value ever sold. LINN & SCRUGGS
d&w

WOOD PUMPS, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Lehman's. feb 16 d&wtf

Jenness Miller

Scientific system of dress for women and children. Patterns now on sale at
mar16 dtf LINN & SCRUGGS'

TELEPHONE 100 for the D. A. Maffit crystal ice, delivered promptly to any part of the city at ruling prices. Any orders left for Maffit ice at F. D. Caldwell's office will receive immediate attention. His telephone number is 26.
may4-dtf

STILL in the swim and on top, with plenty of ice to supply all my customers, at wholesale or retail and at reasonable prices. All orders promptly filled by telephoning T. L. ANTRIM, No 176.
may 14-dtf

BUGGIES, Surreys, Phaetons, Spring Wagons, Road Carts and Farm Wagons, for sale at SPENCER & LEHMAN Co.
Feb 28-d&wtf

Butterick's Delineator

at 10 cents per copy at
LINN & SCRUGGS

LADIES' Imported Jackets, in new and handsome styles, at LINN & SCRUGGS.
d&wtf

THE Bluegrass Shop will repaint your carriage or wagon cheaper than elsewhere. Remember this. Repairing promptly done. March 8-dawtf

$2.00 A SUIT for fine scarlet Underwear, at B. Stine's.

THE Bluegrass Shop will make you low figures on vehicle work. apr 16-df

THE Hercules White Shirts, best made at Linn & Scruggs'. jy8-dawtf

—TRY—

CREAM LEMONADE

—AT—

WOOD + BROS.,

112 Merchant Street

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

One Way to Boom a City.

Over at Lincoln this week a public meeting was held to devise ways and means of booming that city by securing manufacturing industries, and if Decatur doesn't hump herself and hustle, Lincoln will give us a lively deal in competing for industries which go to make up a city of wealth and importance. One way of working up a substantial boom at Lincoln was suggested by Mr. Schauble, who advanced some new ideas by relating his observations concerning the growth of Dubuque, Iowa. He said that a few years ago when he attended school there the town was just about the size of Lincoln. The business men met and tried the plan of advertising the town and writing to different firms without avail. They then decided to send out a man at a salary of $1,000 a year and $700 for expenses. This was productive and within twelve months the town had fourteen new factories and now the population is increased from 8,000 to 42,000. Their agent does not stop this side of the Atlantic but goes to Europe to secure capital to build up the city. Individual effort was what made Dubuque, and the citizens who made the investment to pay that man's salary made, for every thousand dollars expended in that way, $10,000 clear.

On the Way.

The other day Irving Woods and his two companions, the Jacksonville boys who recently passed through Decatur on their long journey overland to Washington to see President Harrison, arrived at Brownsville, Pa. Under date of July 28, Mr. Woods writes this note back home:

"We saw hundreds and hundreds of oil wells. Every yard almost had a derrick. We had quite a talk with some oil men and learned a good deal. Some men make as much as $200 a day. It costs $6,000 to sink one oil. It sells for $1.08 per barrel and the average well flows about 20 barrels per hour. They struck oil only about three years ago and now there are hundreds of new houses building, a regular new town. * * The region through which we are passing is full of historic associations, and the old men tell lots of stories of slavery and the war."

Cure for Mad Dog Bite

The following is said to be a sure cure to prevent hydrophobia. It is a receipt said to have been carried by a man for 40 years, and used successfully in many instances:

"A Saxon forester named Colstell, now of the venerable age of eighty-two, unwilling to take to the grave with him a secret of so much importance, has made public means which have been used for fifty years and wherewith he affirms he has rescued many human beings and cattle from the horrid death of hydrophobia. Take immediately warm vinegar or tepid water, wash the wound clean therewith and then dry it, and then pour upon the wound a few drops of hydrochloric acid. Because mineral acid destroys the poison of saliva."

THE Washington correspondent of the Indianapolis *Journal* says that the investigation into the methods prevailing in the Pension Office is progressing rapidly. It promises to be more searching than was expected at first, and the chances are that it will extend back to the period where the last investigation left off. Commissioner Tanner has supplied the committee with every facility for carrying on the inquiry, and among the data furnished is a batch of papers upon which cases were made special. These papers extend over a period of several years, among them is a pile occupying a space of about four cubic feet. It is reported that this pile accumulated during the last administration and that nearly all of them were cases in which Civil Service Commissioner John H. Oberly set forth excellent reasons why some 1,500 cases should be taken up out of their regular order before the Democratic National Committee met in St. Louis last summer. There is no question that Commissioner Black made hundreds of cases "special" during the last months of his administration and it may be proved that in matters of this kind Civil Service Commissioner Oberly was the most powerful man in the country with the Pension Office.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner, wholesale and retail druggist. a1

Warner Bros.' Corsets.

"Don't bite off more than you can chew," is an inelegant phrase, but very expressive, and applies aptly to competitors who "Cut" and then *run* before the first quarter is even reached. Why not stop and stay with us awhile on

Warner Bros.' Coraline Corsets, 65c
Warner Bros.' 4 in hand Corsets, 65c
Warner Bros.' Health Corsets, 75c
Warner Bros.' Abdominal Corsets, 90c

At the "New Store, next to Millikin's Bank. S. HUMPHREYS
July 20 d&wtf

Union Fair

On account of the Union Fair, the Central Illinois the Illinois Central Railway will sell Excursion tickets from Decatur to Farmer City commencing August 13th and continuing up to the 16th, first sold for the round trip; tickets good to return up to and including August 17th.
july 30 td C. O. JUDSON, Ticket Agt

J. S. HUGHES, 740 N. Water street, has just received a large stock of the celebrated Economy Warm Air Furnaces—the best made. Any one desiring to purchase a furnace will do well to call and see him. july18-d3w

BARGAINS in second-hand furniture at Hines & Chance's store, 137 North Main street. Upholstering and repair work a specialty. The firm buys and sells second hand furniture. Umbrellas mended.
July15 d1w

SECOND-HAND buggies, spring wagon and road carts for sale by SPENCER & LEHMAN. apr23-dawtf

No fancy prices on Gents' Underwear at B. Stine's. dtf

HIS MAJESTY, THE KING

I met him at the Grosvenor ball
Was introduced in style,
He was distinguished, slim, and tall,
And wore a princely smile.
When he moved he dwarfed all men,
His voice had royal ring,
Each miss and spinster dubbed him then
His majesty, the king.

The belles of our set—with their eyes
Followed where'er he went,
And mammas whispered in surprise,
Oh! dear, what sentiment.
But he had eyes for none but me,
The Frazers felt the sting
As I flounced past so they could see
His majesty my king.

I might attempt to tell my dreams,
But all attempts would fail,
I roamed with him by sylvan streams
I went with him to sail.
A thousand smiles were at his beck
To me he still would cling,
He asked my love, I couldn't reject
His majesty the king.

Here I would stop, but love and truth
Go always hand in hand.
No one knew how this handsome youth
Had mingled with our band.
But I ere long found something out
(Some queer events do spring)
Which fairly twisted round about
His majesty the king.

Well, let me give my moral now—
Don't take things as they seem,
One day a sight along Park Row
Rudely dispelled my dream.
Three burly bluecoats in a line
Dragged along on a string—
Whom do you think? Oh! heart of mine,
His majesty! my king!

—William Lyle.

A Rat at His Chin

In an old house situated on Hamilton street resides a Bohemian family. The house stands a short distance from the water, and is infested with large wharf rats. On Saturday night last the mother was aroused about midnight by the screams of her 2 year old child, who was sleeping beside her. The child had rolled down beneath the bedclothing to the center of the bed, and the mother reached down to lift the child up. In doing so her hand came in contact with a huge rat. She immediately dropped it with a scream. The rat dashed across her body, leaped to the floor and disappeared through a large rat hole in the room, which had been previously covered, but the rodent was strong enough to force the covering from the place. The child was bitten on the arm, but not severely, as its screams probably caused the rat to pause. On Sunday night Andrew Toudy, a boarder in the same building, was awakened about midnight by a feeling of suffocation. His first impression was that a burglar had entered the room and grasped him by the throat. But to his horror he discovered a huge rat standing on his neck, its teeth buried in his chin, and the rat calmly sucking his blood. The young man jumped up with a cry of alarm, and, grasping the rodent by the back, he hurled it to the floor and dispatched it.—Bridgeport (Conn.) Farmer.

Located Him at Last.

"Seen anything of that husband of mine?" inquired a Spring street woman of a policeman as she came out of the house just before 6 o'clock in the evening and peered up and down the street.

"No," said the officer.

"What's that crowd up there on the corner?" she asked.

"They're watching some men cutting a sewer pipe in two."

"Jim wouldn't be there. What's all all them folks doing down the other way?"

"They're looking at a man painting a new sign on the liquor store window."

"Jim ain't there, neither. Anything else going on in the neighborhood?"

"Well, there's about two hundred men around a sick horse that has laid down up one block in Varick street."

"That's it—I knew something of that kind was keeping him. He's right down in front holding the horse's head and telling the driver jess what he wants to do. Here, you young one, run around where the sick horse is and tell your pa to come straight home to supper if he expects to get any here to night."—New York Tribune.

First Glance

Fifty years ago the famous surgeon of London was Sir Astley Cooper. He was remarkable for his manual dexterity and also for the quickness and accuracy with which at a glance he took in the whole situation. A striking proof of his penetration was given on his being called to attend a Mr. Blight who had been shot by an unknown assassin.

The moment Sir Astley examined the wound he said: "A pistol has been fired at you with the left hand."

On seeing Mr. Patch, Blight's partner, he was so struck by the peculiar expression of his countenance that he whispered: "If that gentleman were left handed I should suspect him of being the murderer."

Patch was left handed, and, on being tried and condemned, confessed his guilt.—Youth's Companion.

A Woman's Club

The only women's club of Philadelphia is the New Century, which consists merely of a number of classes to all of which members are admitted. Members pay an annual due of $10, and outsiders buy season tickets to any class they wish to join. From this New Century club has grown the Workingwomen's guild, which numbers nearly seven hundred members. These two organizations do an immense amount of good in Philadelphia, and they are sustained by a number of Quaker women who teach night classes, and in every way try to improve the general welfare of members, particularly those of the guild.—Leslie's Newspaper.

Henry Was a Success.

"Tell me, Uncle Charles," pleaded Amelia, "do you think that Henry will make a good husband?"

"I think he will," replied Uncle Charles, without hesitation. "I offered him a cigar last evening, and he took it as freely as it was given. When he opened his coat in search of a match he exposed his waistcoat, and its two upper pockets were filled with cigars. I have no hesitation in saying that Henry will prove a saving, economical husband."—Boston Transcript.

The New Discovery.

You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is. If you have ever tried it, you are one of its staunch friends, because the wonderful thing about it is, that when once given a trial, Dr. King's New Discovery ever after holds a place in the house. If you have never used it and should be afflicted with a cough, cold or any Throat, Lung or Chest trouble, secure a bottle at once and give it a fair trial. It is guaranteed every time, or money refunded. Trial Bottles Free, at Dr. A. J. Stoner's drug store. 6

THE GREAT CENTRE

—FOR—

Summer Clothing,
Summer Underwear,
Summer Hats,
Summer Shirts,
Summer Neckwear,
Summer Pants,

SUMMER EVERYTHING,

In Men's and Boys' Wear.

It matters not how much or little you wish to pay, how plain or fancy you may want anything in the Summer line, we can please you; but we DO NOT have the cheap, worthless kinds of goods, devoid of reliability and style. We draw the line right there.

We solicit an inspection and abide by your decision.

B. STINE,

The Reliable Clothier.

HOT WEATHER PRICES!

—AT—

BRADLEY BROS.'

New York Store.

One lot of Baby Caps, Lace Trimmed, at 18c each.

Handsome Lace Caps at 25c, 35c, 49c and 50c each.

Silk Lace Mits, 10 inches long, at 15c a pair.

Children's Silk Lace Mits at 15c a pair.

Special lot of Fine Jersey Ribbed Vests at 19c each.

Ladies' Cream Flannel Blouse Waist, silk laced, at $1.75.

Ladies' Black Lisle Thread Hose, all sizes, 18c a pair.

100 boxes Touris Ruching, 6 yds each, at 10c a box.

50 doz. Fancy Printed Linen Mull Handkerchiefs, at 15c each.

A Bargain in Corset Covers at 15c each.

Ladies' White Skirts, full size, good muslin, at 30c each.

5/ Beaded Wraps at $2.50, $3.50 and $5 each; less than half original price.

Gents' Colored Percale Shirts, all sizes, 2 collars with each shirt, 69c each.

Gents' French Flannel Outing Shirts at 75c; early price, $1.00.

BRADLEY BROS.,

Corner of Water and William Streets.

Agents for the Jouvin Kid Gloves.

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

B. K. HAMSHER. | J. R. MOSSER.

HAMSHER & MOSSER, Prop'trs.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter

FRIDAY EVE., AUGUST 2, 1889

CARL SCHURZ sailed for Europe yesterday.

THERE was frost in some places in the neighborhood of Galena on Wednesday night.

GOV FIFER returned yesterday from his trip to the northwest and took up the reins of government again

JOHN L SULLIVAN started for Mississippi last evening from New York, in company with the agent of Gov Lowry.

THE Cronin suspect, Martin Burke, will leave Winnipeg to-morrow for Chicago, in charge of Chief Hubbard.

PRESIDENT HARRISON returned to Washington yesterday, and will start on his visit to Boston and Bar Harbor in a few days

THE Republicans of Ohio are becoming more and more sassy as the campaign proceeds They will not talk of less than 40,000 majority for Foraker especially since they have learned that Cleveland is going to take the stump against him

JUDGE LAMBERT TREE, late Minister to Russia, has tendered to the commissioners of Lincoln Park, Chicago, a bronze statue of the Chevalier de la Salle, one of the historic men of the Mississippi Valley

ONE of the newest things in modern housekeeping is frozen milk. Families in cities, where it is difficult to keep milk fresh for any length of time, and ships going on long voyages, are provided with refrigerators in which fresh milk can be kept frozen for any length of time

THERE are at present nearly 600 cases docketed at Cincinnati for alleged violations of the Sunday law If a fair proportion of the cases result in convictions the loud mouthed defiers of the law will not think their attitude so funny. The courts are threatened with such an engorgement of cases of this character as will render it impossible for them to attend to ordinary business

John Corwin's Prognostications.

The witty and irrepressible John A Corwin is writing letters to the Chicago *Tribune* from Olympia W. T., descriptive of the state that is to occupy our northwestern border just as soon as the necessary machinery is put into operation. John's letters are descriptive of the peculiar features of the new state and the possibilities of the political future According to his prognostications the Illinoisans in the northwest are not to be left behind in the scramble for the offices He puts down Elisha P Ferry, formerly of Waukegan, as about certain to be governor of the new state, and Maj L. A Routhe formerly of Springfield, as slated for the lieutenant governorship Then he puts down as among the prospective senators, A M Cannon, a native Illinoisan from Monmouth now of Spokane Falls, and J. Charles Hanna (son of the late J. M. Hanna) of Seattle, who had his early political education as a Chicago Justice of the Peace Hanna is also a native of Waukegan, and if that modest little place turn out both a governor and a senator for the new State of Washington its cup of rejoicing will fairly run over John's letters in the *Tribune* are remarkably spicy reading, and his description of Seattle and Tacoma and Spokane real estate booms are things that will keep one awake in his sad picnic moments

The Law Defiers

In Cincinnati the saloon keepers who propose to defy the law have aroused a degree of opposition which promises eventually to overwhelm them Gov Foraker when he read the proceedings of the saloon keepers' meeting, wrote the mayor of Cincinnati as follows

[illegible] Dear Sir: Do not tolerate any defiance of law. No man is worthy to enjoy the free institutions of America who rebels against a duly enacted statute and defies the authorities charged with its enforcement. [illegible] with a swift and heavy hand. I do not make these suggestions from feeling you do not [illegible] that you may have any [illegible] they may afford you in the discharge of the duty to which you are called by the action of the [illegible] meeting of yesterday [illegible] have just read in the papers. Truly yours

J. B. FORAKER

One sentence in the letter ought to burn its way into every citizen's mind "No man is worthy to enjoy the free institutions of America who rebels against a duly enacted statute and defies the authorities charged with its enforcement." To defy the law, no matter what it is, has never been a wholesome thing for men to attempt in this country and never will be It may cost a good deal to enforce the law, and a good many innocent people may suffer but there is no other way in a government of law The statutes may be bad, but they must be obeyed, and people who will not obey them must be made to do so There is only one way out of the dilemma, and that is to repeal the law If the people believe it ought not to be repealed there is only one thing to do, and that is to obey it There never was a simpler proposition, and the men who try any other way out of it will be sure to find themselves the losers, and that right speedily

Struck Oil Again

The Phoenix Oil and Gas Company at Terre Haute struck oil again yesterday at a depth of 1615 feet, and there is a renewed oil excitement. This is the second successful well that has been drilled There are a number of others going down. The success of the Phoenix well gives renewed assurance that there is an oil field at Terre Haute. The present find is looked upon as very important by the large number of oil speculators who have been there since the first well struck oil.

Famous Women.

It is a significant fact that most of the women who have achieved fame in art, literature, or "affairs," have enjoyed vigorous health This shows that the mind is never capable of the severe and continued application necessary to creative work, unless the body is at its best The woman who aspires to fill an exalted place among her associates, must be free from nervous debility and female weaknesses. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will banish these, and it is warranted to restore those functional harmonies which are indispensable to health. As a specific for all those chronic weaknesses and ailments peculiar to women, it is unequaled.

NOVELTIES in Boys Jersey Waists, at Stine's. dtf

W. A. Coms' Restaurant.

ACCEPTS THE POSITION.

Mr. John O. Whitney is the New General Secretary.

At the final meeting of the board of directors of the Young Men's Christian Association, held last evening, John O Whitney formally accepted the proposition of the board to become the general secretary of the association, from August 1st. As the public is aware, Mr. Whitney has been in our city one month looking over the field and examining the work done by the organization. He comes to Decatur with the highest commendations, having been assistant secretary at Troy, N. Y., and general secretary at Lewiston, Maine His efficiency and experience fit him for his new field of labor.

On Monday the rooms will be closed for a short time to make some general improvements painting, papering, cleaning, and refurnishing with new pieces of furniture to make the place attractive and homelike such as it should be, New reading matter and new files will also be supplied.

After the above changes are made a formal opening of the rooms will take place of which the public will be notified

The College.

At present there will be nothing done in reference to securing the removal of the Westfield College to Decatur, chiefly because the members of the Decatur Board of Trade appear to be inactive There was no quorum last night Secretary Clokey, W. H. Lana and Mayor Inman were there, and so was the college sub committee, ready to submit a report but nothing could be done. Possibly proper interest can be awakened. There is no special hurry If removed, the college can not go anywhere until next year, as the school term will begin in September.

Christian Endeavor Social.

The members of the christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church and friends were entertained last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W R Scruggs, on Prairie Avenue, by Misses Sallie Scruggs and Lilly Chadsey, in a delightful manner The evening was most enjoyably spent in parlor games and music Bering Burrows delighted the company with a number of banjo and vocal solos, Light refreshments were served The guests included about sixty members of the society and the following from out of the city Miss Josie Gorin, St Louis Miss Grace Johnson, New York Miss Maggie West, Belleville, and Misses Hazzard and Borie, Peoria.

IN Thursday's Chicago *Tribune* there appeared an advertisement of a peculiar nature. A man who owns a fine farm of 150 acres wanted a wife very badly and to one who would fill the bill he offered to make a present of $5,000 on their wedding day This eccentric individual is Henry Morgan and he lives in Trafalgar, Morgan county, Ind Here is a chance for some lonely Decatur lady if we have any

Personal.

Mrs C P. Thatcher and daughters are at Lake Bluff.

Frank Williams is home from his visit to Galesburg

Miss Hattie Bury is at Detroit Mich, where she will visit for several months.

Dr. W. M Catto and wife have arrived home from a trip of six weeks throughout the west

Miss Mabel Greene a guest of Henry Smith and family for the past few days, went to Quincy yesterday afternoon

J. W. Race is visiting his daughter, Mrs S D Thomas, in Minneapolis Minn.

Frank Wiesbronner departed this morning for Denver, Colo, where he will attend a Turner's tournament, in session August 18th to 22nd.

Miss Minnie Bachman left last night for Milwaukee and Sheboygan where she will spend the remainder of the summer visiting relatives.

H W. Fenton and Bernard Bradley left last night on a trip of a month to the lakes and then to Boston, New York and other points in the east.

Lincoln *Herald* Hon W. H Kiefz inger had sixty five acres of wheat, which averaged by machine measurement thirty six bushels to the acre

Charles L Johann, formerly a foreman at the Wabash shops at Springfield, has recently been appointed general foreman of the Toledo, Ann Arbor & Northern shops at Owosso, Mich

$7200 For a Farm.

Through the agency of C W. Montgomery the 160 acre Major Selby farm in Shelby county, near Macon, has been purchased by William Bowers, of Decatur The price paid was $7200 or $45 per acre

Married at Peoria.

On the evening of July 31 Louis G Baker, son of R N Baker and Miss Emma Wagner, both of Decatur, were married at Peoria by Rev P A Cool, pastor of the Methodist church The groom is the night transfer clerk at the Union depot for the American Express Co Mr and Mrs. Baker will reside at 401 West Decatur street

I WAS troubled with catarrh for over two years I tried various remedies, and was treated by a number of physicians, but received no benefit until I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. A few bottles of this medicine cured me,' Jesse M Boggs, Holman's Mills, N. C.

BORGIA DILL and Ed Thomson were arrested last night in a room in the Brenneman block for gaming They put up bonds for their appearance.

Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 15 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, Secretary Decatur Grain Co.

WHEAT—76¼ Sept, 77⅛ Oct, 78⅛ Dec

CORN—36 Sept, 36⅛ Oct., 35⅞ Dec

OATS—21¼ Sept., 21⅛ Oct., 21⅝ Dec.

PORK—$10 67 Sept, $10.60 Oct, $9 72 Jan.

LARD—$6 22 Sept, $6.22 Oct, $5 95 Jan

RIBS—$5 55 Sept, $5.55 Oct, $4 95 Jan

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 11,000, market strong.

Cattle, 9,000; market strong.

Car Lots Wheat Winter, 322, Spring, 2. Corn, 530. Oats, 212

Ballard's Horehound Syrup for Whooping Cough.

There is no remedy in the world which will give such prompt relief in Whooping Cough as *Ballard's Horehound Syrup* It will *positively* cure it If you will try it, your children will not keep you awake all night coughing Ballard's Horehound Syrup is the most cooling and soothing remedy for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and Asthma, in the world It is free from opium. It builds up new tissue, strengthens the Lungs, and is an incomparable remedy, made of the best and purest materials If your lungs are weak and you have a tickling in your throat, [illegible] ...aringen, Druggist.

IN MEMORIAM.

Dedication of the National Monument at Plymouth, Mass., to the Pilgrim Fathers.

The Most Important Event in the Interest of Downtrodden Manhood Fitly Commemorated.

Eloquent Address by Congressman Breckenridge of Kentucky—Description of the Monument.

PLYMOUTH, Mass., Aug 2—The grand National monument in honor of the Pilgrims was dedicated yesterday The sons and daughters of Plymouth were here in great numbers The weather of the early morning was unpropitious, and it was necessary to view the parade from beneath umbrellas, a heavy shower prevailing The celebration began at sunrise with a salute by Battery A, and the ringing of the bells. The morning trains brought large numbers of strangers and a great throng surrounded the new monument at half-past nine o'clock, when the dedicatory exercises were begun by the Masonic Grand Lodge, according to the ritual of their order. These exercises were very interesting

The band rendered a selection by John K. Paine, following which the song of praise written by R W Thomas Power was sung by the Temple Quartette Following the song came the address of the president of the Pilgrim Society, ex-Governor Long; the response of Grand Master Henry Endicott, proclamation by Grand Marshal George H. Rhodes, reading of Scripture selections by Grand Chaplain Rev Charles A Skinner, prayer by the Grand Chaplain, report on the examination of the monument and libations of corn and wine by the junior and senior grand wardens respectively The libation of oil by Deputy Grand Master Samuel Wells was followed by the invocation by the grand chaplain. Grand Master Henry Endicott then delivered an address The entire assembly then sung an appropriate closing hymn to the tune of "America"

The exercises concluded with a proclamation by the grand master, benediction by the grand chaplain and the Pilgrim Chorus by the band Meantime the procession had been forming, and at eleven o'clock moved, in seven divisions, over an extended route At the completion of the parade the officers and members of the Pilgrim Society, with the orator, poet and guests, took their places in the great dining tent and the feast provided for the occasion was discussed for an hour Then ex-Governor Long introduced the orator of the day, Mr. Breckinridge, who arose amid applause and delivered his oration:

It has been urged that one of the honors to be given to these revered men is that they were at the beginning of our institutions that they left behind them the old forms and institutions of the other continent and started new institutions, based on new principles and protected by new governmental modes But institutions are growths not manufactures. The option of institutional material at any given time is limited the choice left to statesmen is narrow, the margin between the lines of development is relatively small and herein lies the claim to honor among the immortal who have deserved well of mankind that at the critical moment, perhaps amid the din of perilous battle they chose wisely and heroically And as their growth continues ceaselessly there constantly recurs the necessity for new choice the obligation of fresh decision Thus it is that on the one hand each generation must meet and solve its own problems and yet, on the other hand each generation finds that what has been done before it came into power has limited its action and shut it up in straight sand lines of choice No historian has given to those who first announced the sublime truth that human freedom was impossible except by the separation of Church and State that place of eminence which is by right theirs This is the truth, to which the pilgrim fathers testified This truth they first brought to America This is their true brand this their fadeless crown The company which came over in Mayflower was the only distinctively Protestant church Its peculiarity was that it was a separatist church It was purely English It differed alike from the Catholic and English churches including the Puritans in the English church, and the difference was wide, fundamental and irreconcilable It involved nothing less than the whole question of enforced or free religion the difference which separated and still separates the State church from the free What is involved in this belief? That the church is a voluntary spiritual association, to be governed only by the laws of Christ and entirely free as a church from the domination of the state The honor due to the Plymouth fathers is that they first brought that truth as a practical, vital principle of governmental life to this continent It was an immense stride when this separation was won The next step was more safely taken that churches were voluntary organizations when the consent of governed gave authority over its members. As soon as it was a matter of right to unite with or withdraw from a church to organize or destroy a church then religious freedom becomes permanent [illegible] church principles the right to refrain from union with any religious body But for a higher result [illegible] true for it is based on the right of private judgment; and this is intellectual No man can [illegible] for himself the doctrines he will believe the facts he will accept the formation of creeds and the communion he yearns for until he possesses mental freedom We fail to realize how small were the vessels which bore the founders of States and how meager was the largest preparation for such ventures And when we try to weigh the necessities for successful colonization in such a climate and country as ours then it was that all such ventures did not fail is a marvel But here as everywhere the Man in the enterprise is the factor of primary importance, with all our marvelous inventions and accomplishments, the true factor of success is the Man The central point in that sad day's events was that their reverend pastor falling on his knees, and all of them with him commended them with fervent trust to the Lord It was an official act of the pastor as the select part of an organized church then set apart to the task of establishing a new home in America There was no religious government The immigrants did not bring in theocratic state any more than a secular church It was necessary to organize a formal civil government and out of this necessity sprang that noble instrument known as the social compact of the forefathers That such a compact was deemed necessary demonstrates how scrupulously those men held to the separation of state and church An adjusted organized church they by their own conviction of the province of its power and the limitations of its authority, felt competent to form a civil body politic True emigrants do not leave their country behind them they carry it with their faith and customs Men do these survive They enter into the beliefs convictions life and hopes of composite people who are born, trained and live under their influence Those forefathers brought with them the conception of England —their England They brought no titles or ranks no priestly hierarchy no ecclesiastical ranks and orders no complicated system of fees But they did bring with them monogamic marriage, with its individuality and sanctity of home the rights of the subject to the protection of law, the sacredness of individual property the precedent consent before the levying of taxes, and the right to express in some legal and prescribed manner their will for those who were to represent them in Legislature and church It is not true except in a narrow sense, that they were freed from the institutions of the Old World and at liberty to choose what material they would use in this new world No men were ever more fully committed by the propensity of blood, race training, life and convictions than these grave, earnest heroic pilgrims and the highest praise to be awarded them is that they were faithful to those convictions steadfast in that faith unwavering in their devotions to these beliefs Let us be just to all These were not exclusively theirs, nor did they alone bring them here but this immigration was peculiar—that a church, as a church should found a settlement—and therefore peculiar in the form of organization which this produced and in the selection of the persons composing it peculiar in that it was the first colony because of its belief of the freedom of the church from state regulations, peculiar in that it landed on territory not included in the permission granted to it, and where there was no superior except the somewhat uncertain rights of the King and the Crown it had to form a government for it peculiar in the instrument which this experience produced

During the first year under the compact made on shipboard meetings had been held and some laws or ordinances enacted These meetings were the first town meetings which is the peculiar political feature of New England development And in the congregational form of church government the congregational meetings are simply religious town meetings The influence educational political and religious of these town and congregational meetings on the development both individuality and political life of the citizens of the state cannot be overestimated My countrymen the manifest merit of those to whose memory that monument has been erected was their loyalty to truth as they saw the truth This is the noblest attribute to man that he can love the truth as we see it so be loyal to that truth is our supreme duty

The monument itself, which is now completed, is something of which any American can be proud The highest praise has been given it by those qualified to judge both for its design and execution. It is situated on one of the highest hills in the town about north-west of the rock on which the Pilgrims landed, and west of the anchorage of the Mayflower It commands a fine view of the harbor and the hills and valleys which mark the country to the inland, and a beautiful panorama [illegible] Across the bay rises Captain's Hill, the old home of doughty Miles Standish, and now marked by a handsome monument to the austere warrior Beyond lies Clark's Island, where the Pilgrims spent their first Sabbath in Plymouth Next projects the headland of Saquish, and still further away the Gurnet, with its twin beacons and flashing lights Opposite these the bold bluff of Manomet thrusts itself out into the bay, while nearer inland the thin ribbon of Plymouth beach runs across the harbor like an artificial breakwater to arrest the waves of the ocean

The monument as it now stands complete cost about $200,000 It is of solid Hallowell granite throughout, and consists of an octagonal pedestal forty-five feet high, upon the center of which

To the Pilgrim Fathers

stands the figure of Faith." This figure is thirty-six feet high, and rests with one foot on Plymouth Rock, holding in her left hand the open Bible, while her right arm, uplifted, points heavenward to emphasize the meaning The ease and graceful poise of the figure is most striking.

The pedestal has four large and four small faces Upon the larger are tablets bearing the names of the founders of the colony and historic facts in connection therewith, while from the smaller faces project four buttresses or wing pedestals Upon each of these is seated a figure of heroic size, representing, with the figure of Faith,' the principles of the founders These are 'Morality,' "Education," "Freedom" and 'Law" On the faces of the pedestals, at their feet, are alto-relief tablets representing "The Embarkation at Delft Haven" "The Signing of the Social Compact in the Cabin of the Mayflower " "The Landing at Plymouth" and "The Treaty with the Indians" These are remarkably fine pieces of work in marble The "Landing" excites the most attention for the exceedingly life-like character of the scene The stone serves to heighten the chilly feeling which suffuses a winter landscape The sides of the wing pedestals have tablets carrying out the ideas of the figure above The projection of the monument and the work of completing it have been long and arduous The memorial was started in 1854 Mr Hammatt Billings, a Boston architect designed the monument, and after his death, in 1874 his brother Joseph carried it on

Another Failure to Gain Their Liberty

NEW YORK, Aug 2 In the Supreme Court yesterday the writs of habeas corpus and certiorari sued out Wednesday in behalf of Harris A Ives and George H Stayner, the financiers, were dismissed the court holding that they were irregular The prisoners were remanded

Death of President Cazo, of Nicaragua

NEW ORLEANS, Aug 2 A dispatch to the Times-Democrat from San Juan Del Sur, announces the death, to-day, of Evaresto Cazo, President of Nicaragua.

Passed the License Bill and Adjourned.

PROVIDENCE, R I Aug 2—The License bill was passed by the Legislature yesterday, and the special session adjourned to meet according to law.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Statement of the Government Finances for the Month of June.

Reconstruction and Increased Allowance for the New York Post-Office.

An Opinion Disapproved—A Large Receipt—Special Census Agents Appointed.

Fiscal Statement for July.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1—The public debt statement issued from the Treasury Department to-day shows an increase of $1,017,111, during the past month of July. That there was an increase is due to unusually heavy disbursements during the month Pension disbursements were three-quarters of a million heavier than in July last year, and expenditures for public works, such as river and harbor improvements and public buildings, were nearly five millions greater than in July, 1888 The total debt to-day less cash in the Treasury amounts to $1,077,083,062; the net cash in the Treasury is $65,857,000, against $71,484,012 a month ago.

National bank depositories to-day hold $48,940,761 of Government funds, or about $1,500,000 less than on July 1.

The gold fund balance in the Treasury has decreased about $1,500,000 the past month, and to-day amounts to $182,218,101, and the silver fund balance, exclusive of 6,000,000 trade-dollar bullion, has increased only $100,000 during the month, and to-day amounts to $20,809,015.

Government receipts during July aggregated $31,880,200, or half a million more than in July last year. Customs receipts in round numbers amounted to $19,000,000, against $19,500,000 in July, 1888 and internal revenue receipts for the past month were $10,898,735, or a million and a quarter more than in July a year ago.

Expenditures during the past month were $41,998,593, or five and three quarter millions more than in July last year.

Probably a Fake.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1—Marian D. Newman, alias Hughes, alias St. Clair, who was recently sentenced to two and one-half years in the penitentiary for obtaining money under false pretenses, has received a telegram which he says assures him he has fallen heir to $500,000 by the death of an uncle in San Francisco Newman was first arrested on the charge of obtaining $19 from Mrs Kate Smith, a department employe, under promise of marriage Mrs. Smith, whose regard for him was not diminished by his peculiar treatment of her, did not press the case, and he was released, but was immediately re-arrested on the charge of defrauding the Baltimore Insurance Company The manager of the company claimed that while acting as an agent in this city Newman had obtained an advance of $100 from his employers on the false representation that he needed it to pay the funeral expenses of a child which had died Newman is in jail here pending the hearing of his case in the court in banc He refuses to say who his uncle is, and claims that none of the names under which he is known here belong to him

The New York Post-Office.

WASHINGTON, Aug 2—As a result of the report of the commission which investigated the needs of the New York Post-office, Postmaster-General Wanamaker has directed that an additional allowance of $78,000 be granted Postmaster Van Cott His present allowance is $1,034,000 An additional force of clerks to the number of 402 is also allowed him, which with his present force will make an aggregate working force of 1,298 employes

Messrs Morgan, Wood and Plimpley, representing Postmaster Van Cott, who have been here for several days conferring with the post-office authorities, were authorized to submit to the Postmaster-General for approval a general readjustment of salaries in the New York Post-office in line with the recommendations submitted by the commission.

An Opinion Disapproved.

WASHINGTON Aug 2—Acting Secretary Batcheller, of the treasury yesterday disapproved the opinion of Solicitor Hepburn in the matter of Chinese employed as servants on the United States steamer Alert and other vessels The solicitor held that these Chinese were entitled to admission to this country as enlisted men in the navy. Secretary Batcheller holds that under the Chinese Exclusion act, they are debarred from admittance to this country.

A Large Receipt

WASHINGTON, Aug 2—Probably the largest receipt ever given for an amount of money in this country passed from J N Huston, Treasurer of the United States, to J H Hyatt, ex-United States Treasurer, at the Treasury Department yesterday The amount on the face of the receipt was $771,112,329.15, and it is for this sum that Mr Hyatt was responsible to Mr Huston when he relinquished the office of United States Treasurer.

Special Census Agents Appointed.

WASHINGTON Aug 2—Charles Kirchoff, Jr, of New York, has been appointed a special agent of the Census office to collect statistics of copper, lead and ores, John Birkbine, of Pennsylvania, a special agent to collect statistics of iron ores, and H K Carroll, of New Jersey, a special agent to collect church statistics

Returned from Deer Park

WASHINGTON, Aug 2—President Harrison, accompanied by Private Secretary Halford, returned to Washington yesterday afternoon

Von Der Ahe Must Pay

PHILADELPHIA, Aug 2.—Harry Lyons, the new holder of the base-ball team, yesterday obtained judgment against Chris Von der Ahe, of St Louis, for his share of the championship prize of $1,000 offered by the American Association last year to the team winning the pennant. Von der Ahe claimed that Lyons and White, the only players who did not receive a share of the prize money, didn't play good ball

A Voluntary Increase of Wages.

BETHLEHEM, Pa Aug 2.—The Bethlehem Iron Company yesterday announced an increase in the wages of its puddlers from $3 25 to $3 80 per day, and a proportionate increase in the pay of the men at work on de-phosphorized iron.

A BLOODY RIOT.

Italian Laborers Strike for Higher Wages and Fall to Fighting.

One Man Killed, Two Fatally Injured, and Several Badly Beaten—Another Outbreak Feared.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug 2—About five hundred Italians employed by the Pittsburgh, Lake Erie & Western railway on construction work near Beaver, struck yesterday morning for an increase of wages The refusal of a few track laborers to join the strikers caused several small riots during the day Superintendent Holbrook of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad telegraphed to Sheriff Welsh that serious trouble was anticipated, as the Italians were drinking and becoming very disorderly, and to be prepared to suppress any outbreak.

Late last night a telephone message from Beaver was received stating that a riot had occurred during which Antonio Costello was killed, two Italians fatally injured, another shot in the leg and several others badly beaten After the fight, nearly all of the strikers went up the railroad for the purpose of obstructing the tracks to prevent trains from running

A sheriff's posse has just arrived, and another outbreak was feared

BASE BALL.

Games Played Thursday, August 1

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Chicago—Chicagos 3 Clevelands 1

New York—New York Philadelphia—Game postponed on account of wet grounds

Pittsburgh First game Indianapolis 7 Pittsburghs 6 Second game—Pittsburghs 10 Indianapolis 1

Washington—Washingtons, 4 Bostons, 2

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Brooklyn First game—Brooklyns, 8 Louisvilles 5 Second game Brooklyns 11, Louisvilles 1

Baltimore—First game—Baltimores 4, Kansas Citys 1 Second game Kansas Citys, 6 Baltimores 1

Columbus—Cincinnatis 16 Columbus 5

Philadelphia Athletics 1 St Louis 0 St Louis refused to play on account of wet grounds

Games To-Day

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Philadelphias at New York Bostons at Washington Clevelands at Chicago Indianapolis at Pittsburgh

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

St Louis at Brooklyn Cincinnatis at Baltimore, Louisville at Philadelphia Kansas City at Columbus

Fast Time at Cleveland

CLEVELAND, O, Aug 2 The three-year-old stallion Axtell in a trial heat yesterday to beat the three-year-old record, made it in 2:15½, lowering his own record three-quarters of a second Guy was put on the track to beat his record of 2 12½, and after many trials got away in fine style, trotting the mile in 2 10¾.

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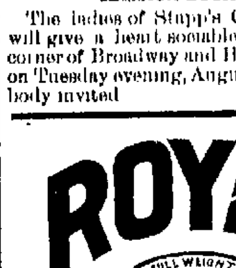
Mission Sociable.

The ladies of Stapp's Chapel Mission will give a heart sociable at the mission, corner of Broadway and Herkimer streets, on Tuesday evening, August 6th Everybody invited july30-d1w



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STRAYED From my pasture, on the evening of August 1st, two 2 year old filleys, bay and brown, one 2 year old gelding, bay color with very heavy tail, one sorrel mule, old A liberal reward will be paid for information aug2 d6 H C JOHNS

BUTTERICK'S patterns and *Delineator* at LINN & SCRUGGS'. july3-dawtf

THE STRIKING COKE-BURNERS.

They Will Remain Out Until Their Demands Are Granted

PITTSBURGH, Pa, Aug 2—A special from Connellsville, Pa, says. The mass-meeting of coke-workers at this place yesterday afternoon was attended by about three thousand men Resolutions were passed unanimously to remain out on strike until their demands were acceded to by the operators

Fire in a Coal Mine.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug 2—The fire in the Pratt mine is still burning, although firemen have been working at it for four days. The output of the burning shaft was 1,000 tons per day, and it was worked by convicts. All free miners employed by the company, numbering 1,200 struck yesterday because some of their number were suspended on a charge of of too much slate in their coal. In the absence of the general manager no steps toward settlement have yet been taken.

No fancy prices on Gents' Underwear at B. Stine's. dtf

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Is a larger stock than any firm in Decatur need carry, but an investigation will convince you that our stock is sufficiently large and assorted to suit the most fastidious. Largest stock of springs in the city. Give us a call. Cox, Chamberlain & Co., Library block. may20 dtf

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The Ruby Furnace for which W. J. Dennis & Bro. are agents is a first class furnace in every respect. We have been using them for some years, and are well pleased with them and would cheerfully recommend them to the public.

F. M. PRATT.
OTTO CURTIS & BRO

june3-dtf

WE have 300 pairs of men's kangaroo shoes, in congress and lace, which retail everywhere for $3.50. They have smooth inner sole. We will close them out at $2.25 per pair. Ferries & Lapham. j11

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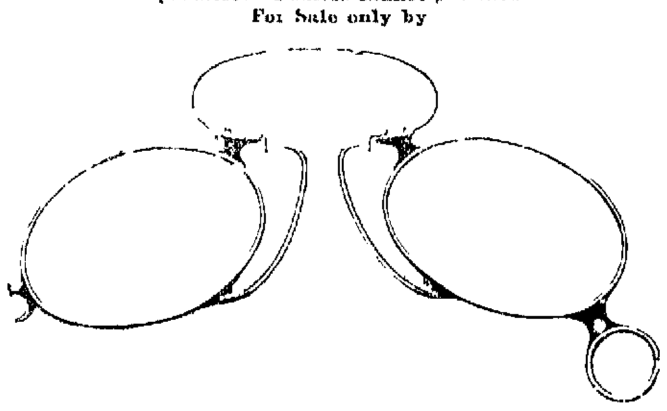

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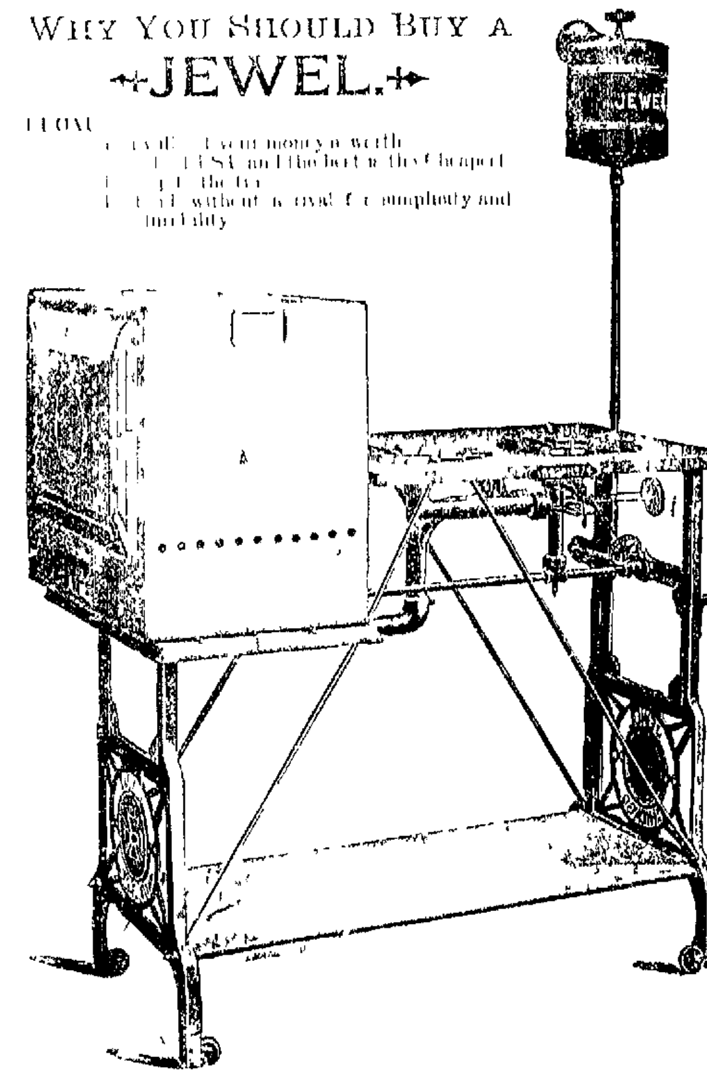

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28 houses erected in Fall of '88 Large number of houses to commence in early Spring. NO ADVANCE IN PRICES. Daily application for lots. Make your selection now and join the procession bound for the Boulevards.

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Jan 2-d&wtf

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FRIDAY EVE., AUGUST 2, 1889.

LOCAL NEWS.

You will find the largest assortment of *Baby Carriages* in the city, at
J D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co's.

W. A COMBS' Restaurant

THE Monitor Band musicians practice every night

PUMPS, all kinds, Geo M. Wood

W. A. COMBS' Restaurant

THIS month Goodman's Band will furnish music for the fair at Monticello

W A COMBS' Restaurant.

ON Tuesday Monticello will have the Bartine circus

THE Monitor Band will run an excursion to Lincoln Thursday, August 8th.

THE ladies of the Presbyterian church will give "The Carnival of Song" at the Grand during the month of September, proceeds for the new church fund.

ORDER White Loaf and Daily Bread flour Both splendid brands

THE main track of the Wabash railway at the depot is being repaired A new lining is to be put down

W A COMBS' Restaurant

WILL O MCNABB and family have taken possession of their home place on West William street, first house west of Judge Nelson's new residence

USE the always reliable White Foam flour, made by Hatfield & Co

W A COMBS Restaurant

JUSTICE PROVOST has just learned that D A Seeley, his brother in law, living in New Jersey, has lost $20 000 in damage to property by the late floods in that state

FAMILY groceries, fresh country butter and vegetables in variety at J Lytle & Co s store

MEETING for Bible study to night at the First M E church, commencing at 7 15 Rev James Miller will give a talk upon the lesson Subject, "Saul Chosen of the Lord" Lesson, I Samuel, 9 15 27 The public is invited

TELEPHONE to Niedermeyer for supplies for the table. Goods delivered promptly to any part of the city

EX-GOV ST JOHN and Dr J G. Evans are to be at the camp Saturday and Sunday

C B PRESCOTT is prepared to give you inside figures on standard pianos and organs Remember this Get the worth of your money.

J M. RAINEY was at the Union depot this morning figuring on the annual fall trip for the Decatur hunting party The hunters have been legislated out of Arkansas, and now they will go to Missouri, probably to Piedmont.

IF you wish first-class work in watch repairing call on Wm W Scudder, 239 North Water street j31 d6-w1

THE people of Moweaqua have embarked in the enterprise of boring for coal on the William Whitworth land Warner & Son, who found a thick vein at Ramsey, have the contract.

FIRE PROOF SAFES —Geo M Wood

PROF ROBERT WALTERS, Frank William and other members of Goodman's Band, will leave this month to join the band with the Golden Dramatic Company

ANYTHING wanted for the table can always be had at Moore Bros', store in opera block Call there

AT a meeting of the state board of charities held in Springfield, the quota of all counties was fixed at one patient for every 1 000 population, for the ensuing two years giving McLean county according to the census of 1880, with 70 000 population, but seventy patients in all for the state asylums The board assigned 519 patients to Elgin, 1,608 to Kankakee, 921 to Jacksonville and 642 to Anna, a total of 3,690, and ordered that 310 patients from counties which have more than their quota shall be returned to them at once.

WESTERN SANITARY COMMISSION St. Louis Nov 18, 1861 Messrs J & C. Maguire The agents of this commission have distributed largely in the army Maguire's Benne Plant, and find it the best of all remedies for Cholera, Diarrhea, Dysentery, etc J G FORMAN, Sec. West San Com

SELECT family supplies at the grocery store of Hanks & Patterson, 113 South Water street

YESTERDAY in the U S district court at Springfield Joseph and William Louis Freeman of Moultrie county, who were charged with conspiracy to make and pass counterfeit silver and minor coins, were tried and acquitted. The individual charges against them were then submitted to Judge Allen on the same evidence, and they were discharged There were about 20 witnesses present from Sullivan. All passed through Decatur last night going home, rejoicing over the acquittal of the Freemans.

A Few Queries.

We have just completed an invoice of our stock on hand, and find that we have over $40,000 worth of boots and shoes. A heavy stock, you say Yes, but that's what you want when you go to select your shoes No other house in Decatur carries nearly so large a stock, and we are just so much the more certain to please you in size, style, width and shape Why not go to the store where you can be suited at once? Why be compelled to spend hours of your time in looking over a small stock, when you can get just what you want in a few minutes at
july30-d&wtf FERRISS & LAPHAM'S.

USE Martin's Coal. Telephone No. 433.
july23-d2w E. L. MARTIN.

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FOR bargains in the jewelry line, you will find it to your interest to call on Wm. W. Scudder, 239 North Water street.
j31-d6-w1.

Business in the County Court.

This morning Judge Nelson appointed Benj. Dill guardian of his three minor children, Mary M, William and Charles H Dill, who are beneficiaries under the will of their late uncle, Abraham Dill, who died recently in Cumberland county, Pa. The guardian's bond is $600, with M E Schroeder and George Nebinger as bondsmen

John Record, who was arrested yesterday on a capias by Constable Midkiff for gaming, was before Judge Nelson and pleaded guilty to 10 counts He was fined $100 costs Paid promptly and Mr. Record walked out

Will Defend Dwyer

This forenoon State's Attorney Mills left for Dalton City where he will defend Michael Dwyer on a charge of making an assault to kill William Fogarty The prosecution will be conducted by State's Attorney Jennings of Sullivan Dwyer and Fogarty were at a dance at Dalton City They quarreled and Fogarty was cut on the breast and arms by Dwyer Fogarty is in no danger

Seeking Aid

The mother of Jack Faunce, who is in jail, held for the murder of Mat McKinley, is engaged in circulating a paper for cash subscriptions, to be used in hiring a lawyer to defend her son The amounts subscribed range from 25 cents to $5 00 Mrs Faunce is confident of securing the acquittal of her son if she can manage to engage a good lawyer

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs H M. Baldwin, of Windsor is in the city visiting Rev Sophie Gibb

Mrs. Benton Blackstone and son, Linn, are home from their visit to Chicago

Mrs Alice Evans is visiting Miss Kate Smith at Lanesville Ill.

Joseph Mills, who has been dangerously ill is some better

Albert Barnes had business in Milmine to day

G E Cain returned from Chicago this morning

James P. Boyd of Bethany, was in the city this morning on business

I A Buckingham had business in Macon to day

Mrs James Cook, of Macon, attended the camp-meeting yesterday

Mrs. W H Addis is ill at her home on South Water street

L. O Campbell, of St Louis is a guest of F H Hall and family.

Miss Laura Longnecker departed for Bearsdale to day to visit friends

Mrs A. C Waterhouse left this morning to join her husband at Oogobie, Wis

D. L Vigus, who has been traveling through Kansas and Colorado since June 13th, arrived home this morning

T J Radford and family, residing near Moweaqua, will probably locate in Decatur this fall.

Hon R H Woodcock came up from Macon this morning to look after a business matter

Col D J Block, of Springfield, passed through the city *en route* for New York He is on his way to Europe

John W Phillips, who has been in the city for several days, left this afternoon for his home in St Joseph, Mo

Mrs John Armstrong, accompanied by Miss Myrtle Wheeler, are at Bethany on a visit

J W. McClellan, deputy collector in the internal revenue department, is at Springfield to begin his work He will visit Lincoln this week

Mrs. D L Vigus, who has been the guest of Miss Stella Barrett in Litchfield for some time, returned home this morning accompanied by Miss Barrett

Mrs. W P Knode, who has been visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs C E Osborne, 331 South Webster St, returned to her home in Indianapolis this morning

Miss Kate Marshall, who has been the guest of W. A Cochran and family, returned this morning to her home at Noble, Illinois.

Mrs C F Weeden, of Chicago, who been visiting W. A. Chandler and family for several days, returned home this morning

Mrs Catharine Elpole of Logansport, Ind, who has been visiting Joseph Michl and family, returned home this morning accompanied by her two sons

Mrs C E Cook, who has been visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs. E Shuner at 952 Herkimer returned this morning to her home in Greenville, Ill

Harry Conklin and Jake Williams expect to leave on August 6th for a trip of several months through Colorado and Kansas

Sam Jones is the now night operator at the Western Union telegraph office in place of James McAndrews who will go elsewhere.

G. C Caldwell and Ben Taylor went fishing last evening, but didn't do anything with the hook and line to interest F B Mueller

Capt G R Bacon left this morning for Bourbon, Douglas county, to visit his aged mother He will return with his wife and son, who have been there for a week

Rev W. L Bankson, of Blue Mound, was in Decatur last night to take the Black Cross degree at the meeting of the Knights Templar

Miss Eva Nicholls cashier and bill clerk at the Geo W Ehrhart & Co commission house, is again at her desk after a two weeks vacation

Tom Hardy has returned from a pleasure trip to Chicago He went over to St Joe on a steamer and got back without becoming sea sick

Mr and Mrs Daniel Dustman left last night for New York City to visit their son, Dr W H Dustman, and daughter, Miss Nellie Dustman They will be absent about two weeks

Miss Mamie Clark has returned from her visit in Springfield She was accompanied by Misses Nell Donaldson and Dell Hornberger, who will visit in this city.

Rev Wm Stevenson and wife, of Momona, Cal, are in the city visiting his son, F. L. Stevenson The reverend gentleman was formerly pastor of Stapp's Chapel

E. D Bartholomew, who arrived safely in England on Thursday, will proceed at once to attend to business and then in company with his friend, Mr Taylor, he will take in the chief places of interest before sailing to America and "home sweet home" in September

Sam Smith, son of S D Smith, is again in Decatur. He has just returned from a trip around the world He left California for Australia, took in that country did duty on an ocean steamer to reach Europe and he visited all places of interest in that country He is home once more looking stout and hearty.

LAST evening a traveling man smashed a dollar lamp at the Western Union telegraph office by throwing it out of the window. The chimney had burst, and the flame so frightened the drummer that he flipped the lamp into the street in short order. Manager Davis quietly remarked that a dollar might have been saved had the impulsive stranger simply turned down the wick.

TALK AT THE CAMP.

Sam Small Tells Stories and Stands Erect for Prohibition

Ex-Governor St John and Dr J G Evans Coming

Despite the weeping state of the weather yesterday and the chilliness, the sixth annual National Prohibition camp meeting managed by A. F. Smith, was largely attended There were 600 people present during the afternoon and 1200 to 1800 at night Rev Sam W Small, of Georgia, occupied the platform afternoon and evening

SAM SMALL'S ADDRESS

Sam Small has been on the lecture platform several years Nearly everybody is acquainted with his style and nearly everybody expects him to tell the truth in a blunt way—and he does it He puts on no frills but always strives to make a telling point against intemperance sin and the follies of this life and he succeeds No doubt about that He has been city editor of a Georgia daily paper and for twelve or fifteen years wrestled with whisky—taking the Lamb the Monkey, the Lion and the Hog degrees, which he so forcibly describes in his inimitable way But he makes no special display of the fact that he has been in the gutter It simply alludes to the fact incidentally and then pours hot shot into the liquor traffic When Sam became converted under the preaching of Sam Jones that other and first southern oddity of the platform he began exhorting people to turn from sin to righteousness and finally the two Sams traveled together They jointly made attacks on the cities of St Louis, Kansas City Chicago and other sin-ridden cities and hundreds of thousands of people have heard them while they have started how many thousands we know not on the way to the better life. Last fall while Sam Small was addressing a vast audience at the camp meeting on the subject, From the Bar to the Pulpit his pard Sam Jones was talking no doubt to as large a crowd at Rockford Ill Both are platform novelty and curiosity and a desire perhaps to hear the plain truth told in plain words gives them audiences wherever they go Manager Smith knew his business when he engaged Sam Small to open the [illegible] prohibition crusade at the park. He knew he would draw and more than earn the [illegible] for the two talks and he did it twice on Thursday

Sam Small gave his first talk during the afternoon when there were about 600 people [illegible]

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FRIDAY AT THE CAMP

The children's meeting at the camp ground was well attended and the exercises lively and interesting Rev. Van Pelt, of Harristown, conducted the devotional exercises at 10 30 The prohibition training school then discussed "What is the wisest investment of time, effort and money for the advancement of prohibition?" Among those who made short talks were Hale Johnson, of Newton, J W Haggard, Bloomington, Prof A J. Morris, New Holland, J A Van Fleet, Springfield, and Ed Miller, of Rochester

The sentiment was quite unanimous for active organization of the Prohibition Party and the maintaining of general temperance work

Rev Pease, of Carlock, dismissed the audience

This afternoon there will be a young men's oratorical contest the contestants being Oliver Stewart, of Eureka, Benj McFadden, Chicago Lem F Smith, Bloomington, and John McAllister, of Sibley

To night there will be an elocutionary contest by the young colored people of this city for a silver medal Goodman's Band and the camp ground orchestra will furnish music

To morrow Ex Gov St John will be here and speak at 2 o'clock, and again on Sunday.

Dr J G Evans, president of Hedding College, will preach at 11 o'clock Sunday morning.

W. A. COMBS' Restaurant

Electric Motor and Electric Fans.

The jewelry firm of Otto E. Curtis & Bro. again jump to the front, having decided to adopt electricity in the operation of the machinery in their work department on the second floor. They have engaged a two-horse power motor which will furnish ample power for running the machinery, and also keep in constant motion three electric fans of the Wing patent. One of the fans is a suction disc fan, 30 inches in diameter, capable of displacing 20,000 cubic feet of air every minute, and making 7,000 revolutions a minute Two fresh air fans, each 14 inches in diameter, protected by screens to prevent people from getting their fingers nipped, will be placed in the store to fan the visitors and the watch makers. These modern improvements will give Curtis & Bros' store more of a metropolitan appearance than ever, and the motor will not only afford the firm better facilities for carrying on their business, but will also make it pleasant for the visitors in keeping the fans buzzing continually. The fans will begin whizzing this evening.

Two Females Fight.

There was a lively sensation at Macon this morning when two married women engaged in a knock-out fight. It was a case of jealousy. One woman had her nose shooting claret and her dress torn. The vanquished female went tearing up the street and all Macon turned out to see the fun. As there was no arrest the names will be withheld.

Selected as a Judge.

Henry C Allen, of Harristown, has been selected as one of the judges in the cattle department at the Illinois State Fair, to be held in Peoria —yes, Peoria —in September next It is doubtful if Mr Allen will accept, as he intends to exhibit his fine herd of Polled Angus cattle at the show If he does, he will be disqualified to act as judge.

Will Assist Brother Woods.

The A. M. E church of Pontiac, Rev J. S Woods pastor, is holding a Freedmen's Jubilee It began yesterday, to be continued over Sunday. Rev Charles H Sheen will leave to-morrow to attend the Sunday services He will preach a freedmen's memorial sermon on Sunday morning at 10 30 At 7 15 he will deliver an address, subject, "The Heroes of Freedom in the British Isles"

Police

Emma Thomas, wife of John Yates, arrested on complaint of Frank Yates, was before Justice Curtis yesterday afternoon to answer a charge of bigamy For want of prosecution she was discharged Yates did not appear against her.

Justice Curtis had Dr A D Bridgman before him last evening for throwing clods at two boys up a tree in a neighbor's yard, where it was subsequently learned, they had a right to be The doctor paid the costs of the arrest and was discharged

Officers Butts and Baylor arrested John Elington, the porter at the Central house this morning on a charge of drunkenness. He was discharged this morning.

YESTERDAY Sam H Jones at Springfield sold to John Nanson eight head of Hereford steers for $1000 Of the eight three were three years old, three two years old, and two one year old The price paid for these cattle amounts to eight cents per pound, and this is believed to be the highest price paid for beef cattle since the war

HARRY MILLER, one of the mail carriers, and Billy Trowbridge, of the Pacific Express company, are having a little fun over a gun and saddle trade. Billy has the gun and Harry doesn't want the saddle

Base Ball Notes

The game of base ball between the Macon and Blue Mound clubs at the latter place yesterday resulted in the defeat of the Macon nine 12 to 7

John Weigand's K & W ball team, with Johnson and Travis as the battery, defeated the Arcola club yesterday in a hot game, 15 to 11. Johnson had fifteen strikes out, and a big crowd witnessed the contest The Arcolas will come to Decatur to try and defeat the K & W's

The Mechanicsburg base ball club was in the city this morning, and left for Macon, where they will play the home club this afternoon Bob Hays will be the first baseman for the Macon nine

Bashford -Wheeler

The marriage of Mr Robert T Bashford, engineer and printer at George R. Bacon & Co's establishment, and Miss C. Wheeler, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Larkin Wheeler, was solemnized last evening at the home of the bride, No. 1018 North Morgan street, Dr. E W Moore officiating A large number of friends extended congratulations The happy couple have taken possession of their home at the corner of Orchard and Broadway

A PARTY of young ladies and gentlemen from Decatur attended the old settlers' reunion at Brown's grove, near Blue Mound, yesterday They drove out in buggies early in the morning and returned in the evening. Dinner was spread in the grove. The party left most of their dignity at home and went solely for the fun the purpose of having a good time The company included Misses Lulu Lunn, Cora Towl, Stella Stoy, Emma Huddleston, Ida Price, Josie Nientker of Boody, Miss Washburn of Macon, Messrs Grant Price, Walter Miller, Ed Kennelly, Lon Norman, Chas. Niehardt, Will Nicholson and James Cochran.

"Saturday Sale."

Do not forget the "Saturday Market" at the Roby, from 2 30 o'clock until 5 30 o'clock Salads, Desserts, Meats, Cakes and various other articles.

WALLACE'S ELIXIR, for Cholera Morbus, Cholera, Summer Complaints, Colic, Pains in the Stomach and Bowels. J. T. Hubbard, Manufacturer, 605 North Water street July 10-d4w

W A COMBS' Restaurant.

SMOKE the Bonanza King Havana cigar, 5 cents straight, manufactured by Brinkmeyer, 109 N Main st. jul20-d3w

MEN'S Kangaroo Southern Ties, HAND SEWED, WORTH $6 00, Closing Out at $3.00. [illegible]WERS' SHOE STORE.

AT THE

GREAT * TRADE * SALE

In New York,

Our Resident Buyer there was the purchaser of many desirable Goods BELOW COST OF IMPORTATION, which

LINN & SCRUGGS

Will place on sale this week at the following prices:

120 PIECES

45-inch Swiss Flouncing, worth 65c to $1.25, the Entire Lot for **62c** per yard.

75 PIECES

45-inch Swiss Flouncing, worth from $2.50 to $5, the Entire Lot for **$1.78** per yard.

15 PIECES

65-inch all Silk Chantilly Flouncing, worth from $2.50 to $5.00, the Entire Lot for **$2.15** Per Yard.

☞"These are all SEASONABLE GOODS, and are sold SO CHEAP that it will pay every lady to look at them.

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AT * HALF * PRICE!

A great many Goods at HALF PRICE, and Everything Cheap, at

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All Wool 38-inch Henrietta, 38c.
All Wool 40-inch Beiges, 38c.
Pure Mohairs, plain and striped, at 27½c and 35c; worth 50c and 60c.
Real Scotch Ginghams, in handsome checks and stripes, at 15c—worth 35c
Kid Gloves, in all sizes, at 75c worth $2 00.
Colored Velvet Ribbons, at half their value.
Full Regular Ladies' Fancy Hose at 25c worth 50c.
Laundried and Unlaundried Shirts for men and boys, white and fancy, 75c.
Checked and Plaid India Linens all Reduced to Half Price.
Infants' Lace Caps, 15c
Curtain Poles, Brass Trimmings, 15c.
CORSETS BELOW ALL COMPETITION

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It is not steamed **LARD.**
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It is Kettle Rendered **LARD.**
It is Sweet and Pure **LARD.**
You should use our **LARD.**

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SPECIAL SALE
—OF—
FURNITURE AND STOVES!

TEN PER CENT. DISCOUNT FOR CASH will be given on the following goods, beginning July 1st, until further notice: BED ROOM SETS, PARLOR SETS, SIDEBOARDS, HAT RACKS, CENTER TABLES, BABY BUGGIES, COOK STOVES, GASOLINE STOVES.

Do Not Miss the Chance; We are Bound to Sell; we have the goods and can save you money. Old Style Furniture taken in exchange for New.
Remember and give us a call at once.

BACHMAN BROS.,

THREE LARGE STORES, EAST MAIN ST.

Sign of The Big Elephant.

June 10-dtf

OTTENHEIMER & CO.

NOTICE—On and after JULY 4th we will close our Store at 6 P. M., EXCEPT SATURDAYS.

During the remainder of June and July we make our ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE of all our Light Weight Cassimeres in Suitings in MEN'S AND BOYS' SUITS.

We have a Very Large Stiock of New and Desirable SPRING AND SUMMER CLOTHING, which has been REDUCED IN PRICE.

Boys' and Children's Suits

AT GREAT REDUCTIONS.

The Best and Largest Assortment of New STYLISH SUITS.

COOL CLOTHING,

THIN Flannel, PONGEE, Plain and Fancy SILKS, Coats and Vests,

SERGES, Seersuckers,

ALPACA MOHAIRS, in Great Variety.

FLANNEL SHIRTS in Cheap and Fine Grades.

SILK SHIRTS, Outing Cloth, Cheviots, White and Fancy Percales.

Boys' Waists.

STAR PERCALES Waists, the Best in the World.

BOYS' FLANNEL WAISTS.

Boys' Knee Pants.

Jersey Kilt Suits,

Jersey Boys' Suits,

Flannel Kilt Suits,

Fine Underwear, in BALBRIGGANS.

Fine Night Shirts,

White and Fancy VESTS.

Boys' Shirts,

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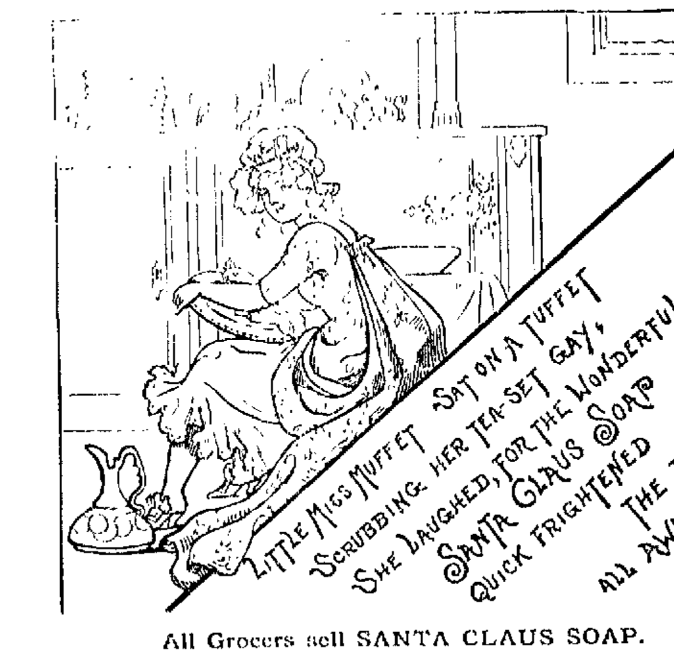

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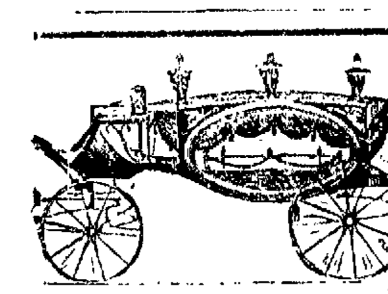

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GRANITE AND MARBLE.

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At 263 E. Main St.

Keeps constantly on hand a large stock of SCOTCH AND AMERICAN GRANITE and MARBLE MONUMENTS, and a fine lot of NEW DESIGNS to select from.

He will furnish you a First Class Monument for Less Money than you can buy anywhere.

Building Stone a Specialty.

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B. I. STERRETT,

ATTORNEY AT LAW

Office over the Postoffice, Decatur, Illinois.

Railroad Time Tables

Corrected July 30, 1889.

WABASH, ST. LOUIS & PACIFIC RAILWAY.

[NOTE—"From" denotes time of arrival, "To" denotes time of departure.

FROM ST. LOUIS.	TO ST. LOUIS.
No. 10 Pass... 9:00 p m	No. 9 Pass... 6:50 a m
No. 4 Pass... 11:30 a m	No. 3 Pass... 3:4 am
No. 44 Pass... 11:40 a m	No. 43 Pass... 1:0 a m
No. 42 Pass... 10:15 p m	No. 45 Pass... 2:0 p m
No. 2 Pass... 11:55 p m	No. 5 Pass... 3:06 p m
No. 70 Freight 5:50 p m	No. 71 Freight 6:35 a m
FROM QUINCY.	TO QUINCY.
No. 42 Pass... 10:10 p m	No. 45 Pass... 1:50 a m
No. 44 Pass... 10:50 a m	No. 15 Pass... 3:10 p m
No. 6 Pass... 6:25 a m	No. 1 Pass... 9:07 p m
No. 48 Acc... 7:05 p m	No. 47 Acc... 8:45 a m
No. 70, Freight 10:35 a m	No. 71, Freight 2:30 p m
FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.	TO TOLEDO & DETROIT.
No. 43 Pass... 3:50 a m	No. 46 Pass... 6:25 a m
No. 45 Pass... 2:30 p m	No. 41 Pass... 11:15 a m
No. 41 Pass... 9:00 p m	No. 42 Pass... 10:52 p m
No. 77 Pass from Bement 11:00 a m	No. 47 Pass to Bement... 3:15 p m
FROM CHICAGO.	TO CHICAGO.
No. 3 Pass... 3:35 a m	No. 2 Pass... 12:06 a m
No. 5 Pass... 2:15 p m	No. 4 Pass... 11:25 a m
No. 1 Pass... 8:50 p m	No. 6 Pass... 6:35 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 2 Pass... 7:10 a m	No. 1 Pass... 5:02 p m
No. 4 Pass... 12:41 a m	No. 3 Pass... 10:20 a m
No. 12 Pass... 2 1. p m	No. 11 Freight 8:15 a m
No. 3, Champaign Line arrives 10:15 a m	No. 4, Champaign Line, leaves, 3.15 p m
No. 10, Freight 4:10 p m	

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & WESTERN.

ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
1 Pass... 2:13 p m	No. 2 Pass... 11:12 a m
No. 3 Pass... 4:30 a m	No. 4 Pass... 10:30 p m
No. 7, Pass... 10:30 a m	No. 8 Pass... 4:00 p m

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 2 Pass... 2:53 p m	No. 1 Pass... 11:00 a m
No. 4 Pass... 7:00 a m	No. 3 Pass... 10:00 p m
No. 20 Freight 10:55 a m	No. 19 Freight 3:00 p m

TERRE HAUTE & PEORIA.

EAST.	WEST.
No. 2 Pass... 2:21 p m	No. 1 Pass... 12:40 p m
No. 4, Pass... 7:10 a m	No. 3 Pass... 7:20 p m
No. 8 Freight 5:00 a m	No. 5 Freight 4:30 a m
No. 19 Freight... 12:35	Freight 10:15 a m

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In Limerick alone of all the Irish cities has there ever been anything like an attempt at manufacture of lace, and here lace making has been, during certain periods, extraordinarily successful. It was introduced in 1829 by a man named Walker, about twenty lace makers having been imported from Nottingham. By 1850 nearly 2,000 women and girls were employed in various branches of the work as tambourers, runners, darners, menders, washers, finishers, muslin embroiderers and lace open workers. The groundwork of all this lace is made by machinery. The quality has always been superb, far excelling any partly machine made lace manufactured either in England or upon the continent; but of late the industry has suffered from Swiss machine competition, and workers were never permitted to earn wages exceeding from three to seven shillings per week. The Carrickmacross lace derives its name from the introduction of both applique and guipure lace making into the parish of Carrickmacross, in County Monaghan, as early as 1820

It is a most interesting region under the shadow of the Slieve-Beagh mountains, and the environments of the peasantry to this day are of the most primitive sort. The cabins, which seldom have more than one room from 8 to 12 feet square, and never more than 8 feet high, with earthen floors and straw thatched roofs. A hole in the roof end gives the smoke opportunity for escape, and where clay and stick chimneys are indulged in, an old firkin, or a few slivers of freestone rock, form the picturesque chimney pot. Potatoes, with occasionally a little buttermilk or sweet milk, constitute almost the only articles of food; and yet from out of the hands of the daughters and mothers of this region, and of County Armagh, into which Carrickmacross lace making has extended, come daintier fabrics in applique than were ever conceived in Brussels, and copies in guipure that are marvellous improvements upon the originals in Cretan.

INNISHMACSAINT LACE.

The Innishmacsaint lace comes from a region still more interesting, not only from the loveliness of the scenery about the upper and lower lakes of Lough Erne, that splendid northern rival of glorious Killarney in Kerry, but also from the singular beauty of the maidens and mothers who dwell and labor amid these mountains, vales, glens and upon these transcendent shores. Innishmacsaint itself is a dainty island half a mile from shore in upper Lough Erne. A famous abbey was founded here in the Sixth century, by St. Nenn or Nennid of the royal blood of Ireland. The saint's bell, ornamented with gold and silver, is still preserved here as a sacred and precious relic. The parish, partly in county Donegal and partly in Fermanagh, derives its name from the island of ruins, and the entire peasantry of this wild and beautiful region, in manner and dress, strikingly remind one of the picturesque folk of the Tyrol.

Nearly every family has a member who is a lace maker, and without organization, technical instruction, or any attention whatever to preserving or developing artistic effort, these blue eyed, black haired, red lipped women produce marvels in point lace as wonderful as were ever known in point d'Alencon. I found one worker who had been employed more than five months upon one handkerchief. She said two months more would be required to complete it. "What will you get for it?" I inquired. "Faith, an' I'm thinkin' a pound it'll bring. "And what will you do then?" I asked again. "Go to America, plase God!" was the reply. And yet the rich Belfast lace dealers showed me handkerchiefs by no means as rich and delicate for which they easily got $150 each.

LABOR BETTER PAID IN THE SOUTH.

Their peasant sisters of the south are more fortunate in the matter of training and just and generous supervision. The nuns of the Presentation convent at Youghal have assiduously striven for fifty years to not only secure the best copies from the most famous lace makers of southern Europe, but have insisted upon constant instruction. Dealing direct with the importing houses of America, they have been able to pay the best wages known in Ireland for women's labor. These fifty years of effort have also brought most magnificent artistic results. "Irish point," as the Youghal lace is called, is practically perfected into an original combination of old and modern stitches, closely resembling, and in many instances far superior to, some of the rarest specimens of Malines; and it is doubtful if today there can be found rarer, more exquisitely and marvelously designed work than comes from hundreds of homes of the sunny vales of Cork and Waterford.

There is also a black lace in silk, and a white lace in thread, both "pillow laces," made by the peasant women about the sleepy old town of Tallow, from instruction during the last half century by the nuns of St. Joseph's convent.

From the most conservative estimates it would seem that 20,000 women in Ireland are constantly employed in the various forms of lace making; 75,000 are at work in the linen spinning and weaving mills; 25,000 are employed in embroidery alone, and from 75,000 to 100,000 in such pursuits as knitting, shirt making, hem stitching, finishing, laundering and boxing; or, in round numbers, 200,000 Irish women in homes and factories are endlessly striving to hold their hovel homes and their beloved Ireland together, on wages which will not exceed an average of four shillings per week!—Cor. New York Commercial Advertiser.

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Sapristi! Morbleu!

It is curious that we are quite unable to realize the enormity of some of the commonest continental oaths. We can, of course, to a certain extent, appraise such terms as Sacre, Sapristi and Morbleu (euphemistic for Mort Dieu), but, on the other hand, we wholly fail to appreciate the swearing value of Mille tonnerres and Tausend Donnerwetter. Even though these latter be regarded as an invocation of Thor, the god of thunder and summer heat, we cannot see anything very dreadful or juratory in them. Anglicized they become perfectly harmless, and would indeed be welcomed in the room of some of our own more opprobrious idioms. "Thunder" or even "Thunder and lightning!" we consider a very temperate exclamation; so, too, thought the author of the tragic story of the "Bagman's Dog," which may be consulted with advantage on this head.

Applying the Johnsonian maxim of "claret for boys, port for men, and brandy for heroes." we should certainly be inclined to class either or both of them with the claret, nay, even with the yet milder variety of Gladstonian claret, a vintage happily unknown to the learned doctor. To our insular minds they convey absolutely no idea of impropriety. We might go about Donnerwettering for a month together, and not feel one atom the better for it, or the worse; while our character for propriety and decent speech would not be one whit damaged, whatever might be thought of our sanity. The German soul, however, is conscious of a distinct sense of relief after a judicious indulgence in the same pastime. Hence we are confronted by the strange paradox that what is a round oath in one country is not even a smart ejaculation in the next.—Macmillan's Magazine

An Indianapolis Troubadour.

A party of young men were out serenading their loves the other night. The hour was waxing late. They passed a residence on Cherry street where a youngster in an upper window was screaming with all the strength of its infantile lungs, and the "old man" was pacing the floor, attempting to lull the household pride and joy. The mother was bestirring herself for some remedy to quiet its colicky pains. Instantly one of the mad wags of the party threw himself into troubadour attitude under the window, and thrumming the accompaniment on his guitar, with a clear voice sang:

Married, married,
Oh, what bliss,
Lots of love and kiss, kiss, kiss

Married, married,
Oh, what a sell—
Things are altered, quite altered; well, well, well!

The humor of the thing seized his companions at first gasp, and they all fled in wild haste, but the singer soared until there was an intensified howl from the youngster upstairs, showing that he had been pitched headlong to the bed. The house shook as the "old man" broke for his shotgun, and just as the window shutters flew open with a crash, the troubadour, realizing the imminent danger to which he was exposed, fled wildly down a convenient alley. Happily, the shotgun was of the smooth bore variety, and the gallant troubadour says it scattered from Fall creek to Washington street.

It was some time before he found his companions, and since then he has abandoned that quarter of the city. -Indianapolis News.

Banking for Chinese.

One of the largest of Boston's banking houses makes a specialty of deposit accounts with the Chinese of the city, who all place their money in this establishment's hands. The aggregate of such deposits made by the gentry of the flowery land is at any one time very large, while the personal accounts of the fantan gamblers, who are the rich men of the celestial colony here, run far up into the thousands of dollars. An important part of the business done with them consists in selling drafts for money sent to Asia.

Much trouble was found at first in keeping accounts with these pig tailed capitalists, owing to the curious fact that each Chinaman, as a rule, has several names, which are employed in such a manner as to be a trifle confusing. He always has at least three, and sometimes more. He has one name as a boy. When he gets to be a man he takes a new one. Upon going into business he adopts a third. No one of these three seems to be used in connection with the others, and, inasmuch as a fresh designation is accepted every time he goes into a new laundry enterprise, the paying teller finds some difficulty now and then in securing a satisfactory identification. When a laundry is sold out, too, the proprietor's business name goes with it to the purchaser, and thus transfers of personal titles are constantly taking place, occasioning no end of confusion. But banking for Chinamen is an occupation all by itself, and must be acquired by special study.—Washington Star

Steamboating.

I still have faith in a revival of the steamboat business on the Mississippi, but it will not take place until a better class of boats are adopted. What is needed are boats of smaller dimensions that can make good time. The heavy steamboats have done more to kill the steamboat traffic than all other influences combined. They can carry heavy cargoes, but they are too slow, and in seasons of low water they cannot run at all. If a system of lighter boats that would run on any ordinary stage of water, and built with reference to speed, was adopted, it would result in an increased river traffic, both in freight and passenger departments. Thirty years ago the heavy passenger boats were withdrawn from the upper Ohio river, between Pittsburg and Cincinnati. Later, lighter boats were adopted, and now there is more passenger business between those points than there was while the large boats were being operated. The passenger traffic is mostly way business, but on an ordinary trip now from Cincinnati to Pittsburg a boat usually handles from 400 to 500 passengers. There is also a vast difference in the expense of operating large and small steamboats.—Mississippi River Captain.

IN a country in which the people are free and intelligent and the press honest and alert monopoly can not endure long. Pools and "combines" may flourish for awhile, and the temporary success which they attain may tempt cupidity and rapacity to form other similar combinations. But when these monopolies become actually oppressive the people will, by the ordinary constitutional processes, rise in their wrath and sweep them away. The day of doom is about to dawn for the Sugar Trust and kindred infamies.

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The Telegraphic Service Controversy.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—The contest against the present rates for telegraphic service to the United States Government by the Western Union Telegraph Company, which Postmaster-General Wanamaker is urging, seems in a fair way of being decided against Mr. Wanamaker on the ground that the demand is unreasonable. President Norvin Green of the Western Union said yesterday: "After consultation with our attorneys, the Western Union has concluded to go right on doing the Government business, and then test its claim to a fair compensation for its work in the Court of Claims in Washington, should such a course become necessary. Our lawyers believe that the Government can not, under the Constitution, force us to take messages at one mill per word."

The World's Fair in 1892.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Charles S. Smith, J. E. Simmons, C. N. Bliss, W. P. Clyde, A. E. Orr and A. R. Whitney have been appointed by the Chamber of Commerce as a committee to select the names of fifty representative business men from which the mayor may select members of the four sub-committees on the World's Fair of 1892.

Secretary Spoor has furnished his report on the list of business interests to be represented in the committee. The list includes every known industry in this city, Brooklyn, Jersey City and Hoboken. The four sub-committees are to consist of twenty-five members each on finance, on legislation, on site and building, and on permanent organization.

A Note From Mr. Whitney.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—The Star publishes the following:

To the editor of the Star:

DEAR SIR:—An item is going the rounds of the press to the effect that a new weekly newspaper is about to be established at Washington in my interest as a candidate for the Presidency. Be kind enough to publish that it is absolutely without foundation. I am not and shall not be a candidate for the nomination of that office, nor to any other. There are men in the Democratic party much better entitled to its honors than I am, and I expect to help the best man to win. The item is absurd on its face, and I object to being thought capable of such nonsense.

[Signed] WILLIAM C. WHITNEY.
Lenox, Mass., July, 31, 1889.

The Will of the Late Charlemagne Tower.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 1.—The will of the late Charlemagne Tower leaves the entire estate in trust for the widow and five children, the widow to receive $1,000 per month from the income, and each of the children $500 per month. The executors are debarred from selling any of the testator's lands, and all rents and royalties are to be invested as part of the estate. No public bequests are made. The estate is valued at about $20,000,000.

A Serious Division in the Camp.

DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 1.—A committee of the G. A. R. representing the posts of Des Moines and Central Iowa met here yesterday to decide on a route to the encampment at Milwaukee. They telegraphed Department Commander Smith, asking him to recall circular advising soldiers not to go to Milwaukee. The Grand Army men in several places in Iowa have done the same, and there is general belief now that the boycott was ill-advised.

Will Sever Their Connection with the Knights of Labor.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—The Journeyman Plumbers' and Gas and Steam-fitters' Laborers' unions of the United States and Canada, in session at Brooklyn, have voted to sever connection with the Knights of Labor and establish an independent organization. This is to take thirty thousand members from the Knights of Labor.

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Excursion Rates to Storm Lake.

Storm Lake, Iowa, only 80 miles east of Sioux City, is coming into prominence not only on account of it being a beautiful town, but because of its fine lake, five miles long by two miles wide, that has already become a Popular Summer Resort, furnishing the customers facilities at such watering places for Boating, Bathing, Fishing, etc. The location of this resort, on the main line of the Illinois Central Railroad in Iowa, makes it especially convenient, and it has therefore been made a *Tourists' Point,* to which round trip tickets can be sold as follows, Decatur to Storm Lake and return, $20 85. Tickets limited to October 31, 1889. For excursion circulars address the undersigned at Manchester Iowa. J. F. MERRY, G. W. P. Agt.
June 17

Excursion to Niagara Falls,

Chautauqua, Thousand Islands and Toronto, via the L. & W. R'y, on Tuesday, August 6th 1889, train leaving Decatur at 11:12 a. m., via Indianapolis, I., B. & W route and N. Y., L. E. & W. R'y. Also to Niagara Falls July 31st, train leaving Decatur at 10:30 p. m., via Indianapolis and C. H. & D. R'y; and August 2d, train leaving Decatur at 10:30 p. m., via Indianapolis and L. E. & W. R'y. Fare for round trip, Decatur to Niagara Falls, $7 00; to Toronto, $8.00; to Thousand Islands, $12.00; to Chautauqua, $7.00. Tickets good returning seven days from date of sale. Through reclining chair cars and Pullman sleepers from Indianapolis. For further information apply at ticket office, Union Depot, or to
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Harvest Excursions South.

Are you waiting for an opportunity to make a trip into Tennessee, Mississippi or Louisiana? If so, remember the Illinois Central Railroad will run five excursions to points within these states on the following dates: August 6 and 20, September 10 and 24, and October 8. The rate will be ONE FARE for the ROUND TRIP. Tickets limited to 30 days and good for stop overs south of Cairo. For excursion circular, copy of "Home Seeker's Guide and "Farmers' and Fruit Growers' Guide to Macomb City, Mississippi," address the undersigned at Manchester, Iowa. J. F. MERRY,
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Publication Notice in Chancery.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF MACON, } ss.

In the Circuit Court, to the September Term, A. D. 1889.

Adella Hepford, complainant, vs. Charles Hepford, defendant,—Bill in Chancery for Divorce,

Notice is hereby given to you, the said Charles Hepford, defendant, that the above named complainant has heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, against you, and that thereupon a summons in chancery issued out of said court against you, the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of a term of said court to be holden at the court house in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, beginning on the fourth Monday of the month of September, A. D. 1889, to-wit, on the 23rd day of said month, as is by law required, and that said cause is still pending in said court.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
W. T. CUSSINS, Complainant's Solicitor.
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Master's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss.

In the Circuit Court of said County To the June Term, 1889.

James T. Roberts vs. Emma F. Richard, Stacy B. Richard, et al, Foreclosure.

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, rendered in the above entitled cause at the June Term of said court, in the year 1889 I, James J. Finn, Master in Chancery of the Circuit Court of said county, will, at the hour of three o'clock p. m., on

Friday, the 23d Day of August, 1889,

at the front door of the court house in said county, sell, at public vendue, for cash in hand, subject to redemption, to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lots No. six (6) and seven (7), in block No. one (1), in Henry A. Wood's Addition to the City of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois.

Dated at Decatur this 22d day of July, 1889.
JAMES J. FINN,
Master in Chancery of said County.
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